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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1768.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

THE PRESENTMENTS *of the* GRAND-JURORS *for the Body of this Province, at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden in Charles-Town, on Monday the 18th Day of January, 1768.*

I. WE present as a grievance, the want of the province acts reprinted, and properly digested under distinct heads.

II. We present as a grievance, the evil custom of giving negroes their freedom; and the want of a law to oblige every free negro to wear a badge with their names thereon, by which they may be known.

III. We present as a grievance through the province, the want of a patrol duty being done; and submit it to the legislature, whether a provincial or parochial tax, to support the expence of a standing patrol, to be constantly on duty, would not better answer the intentions of apprehending fugitive slaves and other good purposes.

IV. We present as a grievance, so many idle negro wenches, selling dry goods, cakes, rice, &c. in the markets, which hinder a great many poor people from getting bread.

V. We present as a greivance, the want of lamps in Charles-Town.

VI. We present as a grievance, the number of small unlicensed tippling houses, who sell spirituous liquors to sailors and negroes.

VII. We present as a grievance, the want of public schools in the back parts of this province, for the education and instruction of the children of poor people who are settled there, and the want of a law to hinder unqualified people from teaching through the province.

VIII. We present as a grievance, the want of a proper work-house and poor-house, separate from each other.

IX. We present as a grievance, the want of a proper place of landing and storing of naval stores and hemp, as those articles are too frequently stored on the wharves, and the stores and cellars in the centre and many other parts of the town, to the great danger thereof.

X. We present as a grievance the want of a law for clearing of New and Wappoo-Cut, as the present condition of the former makes the navigation therein very dangerous, and the detention of boats in the latter is obvious to all concerned; and also, a law for opening and making navigable Elliott's Cut commonly called Elliott's Cut.

XI. We present as a grievance, the want of a proper fish-market, and a proper guard to be placed at the magazine.

XII. We present Joseph Turpin, for keeping a disorderly dancing-house, to the great prejudice of the youth of this town, on information of Timothy Phillips.

XIII. We present Daniel Pepper, Esq; for extortion in his office of a justice of the peace for Granville county, and for ill practice in his said office, on information of Richard Hector.

GEORGE INGLIS, *Foreman*, L. S.
ISAAC LESESNE, jun. L. S.
JOHN BENFIELD, L. S.
SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. L. S.
FRANCIS ROSE, L. S.
RICHARD BAKER, L. S.
MACARTAN CAMPBELL, L. S.
JOHN FABRE, L. S.
WILLIAM GIBBES, L. S.
JONATHAN PERRIT, L. S.
OWEN ROBERTS, L. S.
CHARLES JONES, L. S.
WILLIAM COACHMAN, L. S.
JAMES SMITH, L. S.
THOMAS SLANN, L. S.
GEORGE PADDON BOND, L. S.
PERCIVAL PAWLEY, L. S.
ISAAC MACPHERSON, L. S.
BENJAMIN SIMONS, jun. L. S.

Friday the 24th of January, 1768, being the first Adjournment-Day of January Sessions, the Presentments of the Grand-Jury were taken into consideration, when the following Orders were made thereon, viz.

I. II. III. IV. V. VI. VII. VIII. IX. X. & XI.

ORDERED, That these several presentments be laid before the legislature.

XII. Ordered, That process do issue against Joseph Turpin, to oblige him to come in, plead to, and answer this presentment.

XIII. Ordered, That Daniel Pepper, Esq; do shew cause, by or before the first day of next April sessions, why an information should not be filed against him, upon the subject matter of this presentment.

Ordered, That the above presentments of the Grand-Jury, together with the orders made thereon, be printed in the several Gazettes of this province.

By the Court,
D. CAMPBELL, C. C. & P.

Court of General Sessions, January 29, 1768.

TO BE LET, and entered upon immediately,

THE Front Store and Cellar of the House wherein I now live. Apply to CHARLES CROUCH.

NOTICE is hereby given, to all persons indebted to Messrs. Guerin and Williamson, that unless their bonds, notes or accounts, are discharged by the fifteenth of February 1768, they will be sued by

JOHN COLCOCK, Attorney at Law.

Charles-Town, December 15, 1767.

THE Subscriber returns his grateful Acknowledgments to the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, for the generous Encouragement he has received during the Publication of the SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE, and COUNTRY JOURNAL, for two Years past; and as this Day's Gazette commences the third Year of its Date, he most earnestly intreats the Favour of all Persons indebted to him, to discharge their Arrears up to the 8th Instant, which will enable him to carry on his Business with the greater Spirit; as it must certainly be known, that the publishing of a Weekly Gazette, with Credit and Punctuality, (and without which we cannot expect to meet with Success, or hope for Approbation) is attended with great Expence.—And as there are several pressing Demands against him, which, if not soon answered, must be of very bad Consequences to himself and Family; he is the more inclinable to hope, that his good Benefactors, especially those in the Country, whom he has it not in his Power to wait upon personally, will consider his Situation, and readily comply with his Request, by getting some of their Friends or Factors in Town to pay off their Accounts, which are but small, but by being all collected together, will be of great Service, as it will enable him to discharge those Demands.—The utmost Efforts shall, at all Times, be made to render his Gazette both useful and entertaining; and the Printing Business, in all its Branches, will also be carried on with the greatest Care and Dispatch, at his Office in Elliott-street, the Corner of Gadsden's Alley; where all Letters of Intelligence, as likewise the Commands of his Friends and the Public, will be most readily and thankfully received, by

Their very obedient, and most humble Servant,
CHARLES CROUCH.

N. B. It is hoped, that all Persons who may be pleased to favour me with Advertisements for my Gazette, (which will certainly answer their End, as it has a very extensive Circulation) will be so kind as to send the CASH with them, except where it may happen that I have an open Account.

TO BE SOLD,

On Thursday the 10th of March next, if a fair Day, and if that should be rainy, the next fair Day after, at the Plantation of Mrs. AGNES STITT, *on* Black-River, *in Craven County;*

ONE Plantation in Williamsburgh Township, containing Fifty Acres, as appears by the original Grant to John Jameison, at that Time bounding South-West on Roger Gordon's Land, South-East on Black-River, and on all other Sides on vacant Land.

Another Plantation of Three Hundred and Fifty Acres, situated in Craven County, bounded at the Time of the Grant to William Jameison, North-East on Joseph Child's Land, and on all other Sides on vacant Land.

One other Plantation also in Craven County, containing One Thousand Acres, as appears by the original Grant to William Jameison, consisting of very fine Cypress and Pine Land, situated on the North-East Side of Black-River, upon a Swamp called Peter's Creek-Swamp, bounding North-East on Land laid out to Mr. Elias Foissin, to the North-West, Part on the said Foissin's Land, and Part on vacant Land; South-West on Samuel Wragg's, partly on Mrs. Mann's, and partly on Mary Blyth's Land (now Mr. Shackleford's); South-East on vacant Land.

Also the Plantation, with the Improvements thereon, on which Mrs. Agnes Stitt now lives, containing Five Hundred and Thirty-five Acres, more or less, situated on Black-River, in Craven County as aforesaid, Thirty-five Acres of which Five Hundred and Thirty-five Acres are bounded South-West on Black-River; North-West on Land laid out to John Green; North-East on Land laid out to John Hammerton, Esq; to the South-East on Land laid out for Daniel Crawford, as appears by the original Grant to William Jameison, for said Thirty-five Acres, the Five Hundred Acres being the Remainder, and adjoining to the Thirty-five Acres, is situated on the North-East Side of Black-River, butting and bounding on the South-West on Black-River, to the North-West on Lands laid out to George Saxby, Esq; to the North-East on the Lands of Mr. John Lewis, and to the South-East on Lands said by the Plat to be laid out to Ford and Glen. This is an excellent Plantation for Rice and Indico; One Hundred Acres of the Swamp-Land is cleared, banked, and fenced; One Hundred Acres and upwards also of the high Land is cleared and fenced, and thereon is a good Dwelling-House, Barn, and Out-Houses.

Conditions of the Sale will be Cash.

The original Grants and Titles are in the Hands of Messrs. TORRANS, POAUG, & Co. on the Bay in Charles-Town.

At the same Place, immediately upon the Sale of the above Lands, will be sold (also belonging to Mrs. Agnes Stitt) Twenty-four valuable Field Slaves, with Credit to the first Day of March, 1769, upon giving approved Security, and Interest from the Date of the Sale. The Property not to be altered till the Conditions are strictly complied with by the Purchasers, to Messieurs

TORRANS, POAUG, & Co.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A BOY that is willing to learn the PAINTING and GLASING BUSINESS; also a Negro Boy, either to hire or learn the Trade. For further Particulars, enquire of the Printer.

Singular ACCIDENT, and Instance of a PARTICULAR PROVIDENCE.

[Related by THUANUS, in his History.]

IN the civil wars of France, on account of religious disputes, when the Catholics besieged Rouen, in 1562, Francis Civile, one of the most intrepid gentlemen of the Calvanist party, received a wound which made him fall senseless from the rampart into the town. Some soldiers, who supposed him dead, stripped and buried him, with the usual negligence on these occasions. A trusty and affectionate person he had retained in his service, desirous of procuring for his master a more honourable burial, went with a design to find his body. His search being fruitless amongst several dead bodies which were quite disfigured, he covered them again with earth, but so as that the hand of one of them remained uncovered. As he was returning he looked behind him, and perceived that hand; and the apprehension he was under, that such an object might excite the dogs to unearth the dead body for devouring it, induced him to come back, in order to cover it. The moment he was going to exercise this pious office, a gleam of light from the moon, just coming from under a cloud made him perceive a diamond ring Civile wore on his finger. Without loss of time, he takes up his master, who still had breath in him, and carries him to the hospital of the wounded. But the surgeons, who had been quite fatigued with labour, and considered him as on the point of death, would take no trouble about his wound. The servant then found himself obliged to transport him to his own inn, where he languished four days without any help. At the end of this time, two physicians had the complaisance to visit him. They cleansed his wound, and, by their care, put him in a way to live. The town having been taken by assault, the conquerors were so barbarous as to throw him out of the window. He fortunately fell on a heap of dung, where, abandoned by every one, he still passed three days. Ducroisi, his relation, had him carried off privately in the night, and sent into an house in the country, where his wound was dressed at leasure. There, after so many kinds of death, he recovered so perfect health, that he survived forty years all those accidents. That particular Providence, which had saved this man from so many perils, had also presided over his birth. His mother dying with child, during the absence of her husband, had been buried, without any one thinking to extract the child by the Cesarian operation. The day after she was interred the husband arrives, and learns with surprize, the death of his wife, and the little attention that was had for the fruit of her womb. He requires her grave to be dug up again, having had her opened, Civile was extracted still living.

LONDON, NOVEMBER 15.

Extract of a letter from Dr. *Patrick Nisbet*, of *Perth*, in *Scotland*, to Mr. *Woods*, of *Liverpool*, dated September 30, 1767.

SIR,

"*I Had lately occasion to read your essay for discovering the longitude at sea, as published in the London Chronicle of September 15, and to me it appears to bid as fair for succeeding as any I have yet seen. It certainly merits some attention, and I could heartily wish some experiments were made of that kind.*

"*It does not appear, that any objections can be made to the scheme itself;—any difficulties that may arise, will principally concern the chronometer.*

"*How much depends upon this last, appears evident from the high value that was once put on Mr. Harrison's watch, when several thousand pounds were granted as an equivalent by parliament.*

"*The odds of a few seconds may not probably be discernible in one turn of the sand-glass, or one revolution of the stars, but that error repeated every time, may amount to something considerable in the course of a long voyage. Therefore in order to bring it to true time, or to discover the error, which will answer the purpose equally well, and be much more easily accomplished, it is proposed, that after the glass has been once adjusted, or nearly so, instead of comparing it with one revolution of the stars, several revolutions ought to intervene between the two observations; which will ascertain the error of the glass to great precision. For instance, if in 30 revolutions of the stars, or turnings of the glass, an error is found of 20 seconds, then in every such turning there is a fault equal to .666 seconds; and so much is to be accounted for in the calculation, according to the number of times or revolutions.—.66 seconds is not distinguishable, but 20 seconds are plainly so.*

"*If a sand-glass was made to run 24 hours, which is only adding 3 m. 56 sec. to the former, it would answer for observations taken by the sun, making an allowance, in the computation, for the difference of equation. And though it would not be so exact on account of the space of time, which the sun takes up in culminating; yet would they serve as a kind of check upon one another, or even supply the other's place, in case of accidents. Besides, as all navigators are obliged at any rate to make observations at 12 o'clock, on account of the latitude, this last would not be attended with any additional trouble.*

"*There are a few other difficulties, which will readily occur to any one, and possibly more will crop up in putting the scheme in execution; but these, it is to be hoped, are not insuperable. Every one that favours the improvements of arts and sciences, or has a regard for the public welfare, must wish success to all undertakings of this kind.*"

Extract of a Letter from Parkgate, October 15, 1767.

"A very odd Affair happened a few Days ago on board a Ship that lay in the Offing bound for Dublin, as follows:—A young Soldier of Fortune having charmed the old Relict of a deceased Cheesemonger, so far as to accept him in Marriage, soon grew sick of his Wife, and the Neighbourhood of Thames-street, both which he quitted as soon as he had found an Opportunity of converting all Matters into ready Cash that he could wheedle her out of, and made the best of his Way to Chester, on an Expedition to Ireland, instead of going on a shooting Party with some Gentlemen, under which Pretence he had left his Lady well satisfied with his leaving London for a few Days; while waiting for a fair Wind he took a Fancy to a Monkey of the Marmosette Kind, which having purchased, he carried on board with him, and fastened to the Foot of his Bed in the great Cabbin; but the Creature having by some Means obtained his Freedom in the Night, as soon as Day-light appeared got to his Master's Trunk, which he had carelessly left open, and taking his Bags out, one by one, which contained Gold to the Amount of 2000 Guineas, he diverted himself with flinging them by Handfuls out of the Cabbin Window into the Sea, until he had quite emptied those of their Contents, and was hard at Work on the fourth, when the Captain's coming down put a Check to his Progress; but instead of coaxing him to deliver the Residue, the Captain very imprudently catched up a Stick and advancing to chastise him, Pug made a precipitate Flight out of the Window, and, with the Remainder of the Treasure, was buried in the Deep. The Justice of Providence manifested itself greatly in the Punishment of the treacherous Husband: But one cannot help laughing at the Means whereby it came about, and the Agent employed on the Account."

NOVEMBER 28. *Yesterday there was a very grand Court at St. James's.*

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is chosen High Steward of Plymouth, in the room of his late Royal Highness the Duke of York, and has been presented with the Freedom of that ancient and loyal Corporation in a Gold Box.

Thomas Townshend, Esq; late one of the Lords of the Treasury, is appointed joint Pay-Master General, in the room of Lord North; and Charles Jenkinson, Esq; late Lord of the Admiralty, is appointed Lord of the Treasury, in the room of Thomas Townshend, Esq. They both kissed Hands Yesterday.

John Dasent, Esq; lately appointed Chief Justice of Nevis, is the third of that Family who has held that honourable Post, his Father and Grandfather having been in the same high Office.

The last Letters from Edinburgh advise, that the Treaty of Marriage, which has been some Time on Foot, is concluded between the Honourable Mr. Mackenzie, second Son of the Earl of Bute, and Miss Cunningham, Daughter of Sir David Cunningham, Bart.

Thursday Sir Simeon Stuart, Bart. Member of Parliament for Hampshire, arrived at his House in South Audley-street in perfect Health, having recovered from a lameness and Weakness of his Limbs and other Complaints, (the Consequence of severe and repeated Attacks of the Gout) by bathing in the Sea at Southampton, and drinking of a Mineral Spring, which is near that Place.

We are told that Lord Townshend is so greatly pleased with the people of Ireland, that he proposes staying much longer time in that kingdom than is customary for Chief Governors.

The appointment of Sir George M'Cartney, who is going Ambassador and Plenipotentiary Extraordinary to the Court of Russia, is, by his Majesty's order, ten thousand pounds for Sir George's equipage, &c. and twelve thousand pounds per annum during his Embassy.

The last letters from Nice brings an account of the Right Hon. the Earl of Albemarle being there in a fair way of recovery.

In the late eruption of Vesuvius, a large valley near Resina is said to have been filled up with inflammable matter, so as to be nearly level with the hills that surrounded it.

We hear that, during the late recess of parliament, the ministry have been exceeding strict in their enquiries into, and have attained a very circumstantial account of, the state of the Popish seminaries in foreign countries, for the education of youth, British subjects of both sexes; and we also hear, that the number of such deluded pupils therein have been found to exceed, by much, the apprehensions and informations of the administration, previous to their taking this very requisite and laudable step to get at the certain truth.

A very fine whole length picture of the Duke of Northumberland, painted by Mr. Pine, of St. Martin's-lane, is to be placed, in a few days, in the great Court-room, in the Middlesex Hospital. It was painted at the earnest request of the principal Governors, but is a present from his Grace, who is President, and a strenuous promoter, of that noble charity. It is put into a very rich and most elegant ornamental frame, designed and executed by that celebrated artist, Mr. Chippendale, of St. Martin's-lane.

We hear that many citizens of London, who apprehend that divers of their antient and valuable rights and privileges have been long neglected, are determined to vote for no candidate at the ensuing general election for members of parliament, unless such candidate will engage, after the example of the present Members for the city of Dublin, to carry a bill into parliament to have these antient privileges properly ascertained and enforced, that the citizens may for the future know which of their chartered and parliamentary franchises are still in force, and which can be no longer maintained; because it has lately been asserted that the city of London has lost many of their antient privileges by non-use.

Richard Edwards, Esq; is appointed to the command of his Majesty's ship Ramillies, of 74 guns, at Chatham; Capt. Le Cras, to command the Temeraire, at Plymouth, of 74 guns; and Capt. Tonyn, to the St. Antonio, of 64 guns, at Portsmouth; which men of war are guardships at those ports.

There is now living, at his seat in Essex, a gentleman named Fleetwood Sheppard, Esq; who is 110 years of age, enjoys an unusual flow of spirits and vivacity, and the use of his senses, and is mentioned, in a very honourable manner, by the late Matthew Prior, Esq; in his poems, and other celebrated authors.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, *November* 27, 1767.

Orders for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next the 29th instant, for her late most Serene Highness the Arch-Dutchess Maria-Josepha, Daughter of the Empress Queen, and Sister to the present Emperor of Germany, viz.

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fringed or plain Linen, black or white Fans, and white Gloves.

The Men to wear black full-trimmed, fringed or plain Linen, black Swords and Buckles.

From the NEW-HAVEN Paper.

On the top of the Boston Gazette, dated November 2, 1767, *are these words, in* Italian *characters*—Save your money, and you save your country!—*A certain sermon contains the following sentence, in* Roman *types*, Serve God, and you serve your country!—*The following paragraph is extracted from said sermon, viz.*

I Shall conclude with observing, that patriotism, or the love of our country, is one of those social virtues, which shines brightest in the eyes of mankind, and has employed the pens of the most celebrated authors, in all ages, to dignify and dress out in the most illustrious pomp of praise and panegyrick; and indeed deservedly.—Patriotism seems so to enoble and elevate the person possessed of this virtue, that all mankind, more or less, affect at least the appearance of it.—Ask any one individual, whether he loves his country so well as to contribute any thing towards its well being and putting it in a flourishing state and condition? we may venture to affirm that 999 in 1000 will answer, that they are ready to do any thing in their power, which may reasonably be demanded from their abilities, for the benefit of their country, so fond are we of appearing to be men of public spirit and good patriots—tell them you do not demand their wealth, their estates, or that they should take up arms, or hazard their lives in its defence; that you don't want to levy new taxes, to oblige them to any personal attendance on great men, it takes them not a moment more from their necessary affairs than they are at present obliged to be; and yet you can put them upon a method of serving themselves and their country in a more eminent manner than they ever have done; and that infallibly, beyond the power of man to disappoint, or the malice of the devil to overturn.—Will they not be very fond of a scheme for the good of their country without extraordinary charge, settling its prosperity upon a sure and lasting foundation?—Can they perform this duty of love to their country upon cheaper terms, and with what face can they refuse accepting them? The matter turns upon *a single point*,—

Serve GOD, and you serve your COUNTRY.

This is your only assured means of bringing down blessings from heaven upon it, whilst all other methods, where this is wanting, are vain and subject to disappointment, tho' founded on the deepest basis of human policy. In conformation of this truth, look upon *Sodom*, and the other cities of that once delicious and fruitful dale, which look'd like a paradise upon earth, when *Lot* was tempted to chuse it for his habitation, and consider that ten righteous persons would have saved them from that horrible destruction, the remains of which (now to be seen) are the dread and admiration of all mankind.—Nay, that this devastation could not begin by the hand of the destroying angel, 'till that one man, that despised *Lot*, was removed into a place of safety.—Besides we are taught, by the word of God, that as on the one hand *righteousness exalteth a nation*, so on the other, that for the sins of the inhabitants, the land mourneth, that famine, sword, pestilence and dissolation, are the instruments whereby God punisheth the wickedness of a people.

He, therefore, that would truly serve his country, must serve God.

He that would avoid contributing to its misfortunes, must abstain from sin, and fly from that which is evil. And let it be remembered, that, *Tho' but few have the abilities or opportunity of serving their country in a public station, yet every man may serve it by his own private christian deportment*; and, *if he cannot be a good statesman, he may at least be a good christian, and have a considerable share thereby of keeping evil from, or drawing down mighty blessings on the country or nation of which he is a member.*

Hence it plainly appears that the love of God cannot be, where the love of our brother is wanting, nor can we be said, in a scripture sense, to love our brother, while we indulge ourselves in known sin: Which amounts to a demonstration of the principal proposition maintained in this discourse, that the love of God is the true and only foundation of all social virtue; and that reason as well as revelation demands, that he who loveth God, do love his brother also.

THOMAS BEACON.

PORTSMOUTH, (in New-Hampshire) DECEMBER 18.

One Josiah Prescot of Deerfield, in the south west part of Nottingham, being out a hunting on the 26th day of November last, about three miles from his house, spyed a Moose at a hundred yards distance; he immediately fir'd at her, and shot her down dead; upon that there arose up two more at a little farther distance; he immediately charg'd his gun again, and shot down the second; and while the other was smelling of his mate, he charg'd again, and shot down the third; and while he was charging his gun again a fourth came up toward the others, he shot her dead also: Two of them were old ones, the other two young ones; one of the old ones was ten feet high and ten long, the other eight feet high and ten feet long; the other two were about six feet high and eight feet long: After this extraordinary exploit was over, he was joined by a partner, who being at a little distance and hearing the guns, came up to his assistance, and in going home, he got help to dress the moose; a wild cat they killed on their return.—This is fact.

BOSTON, DECEMBER 21.

The church-clergy of New-York and New-Jersey, being assembled in a *voluntary convention*, and assisted by some of their brethren from the neighbouring provinces, took into consideration the propriety and expediency of addressing the public, on the subject of an American Episcopate. After a thorough discussion of the point, they were unanimously of opinion, that fairly to explain the plan on which American Bishops had been requested, to lay before the public the reasons of this request, to answer the objections that have been made, and to obviate those that might otherwise be conceived against it, was both a matter of necessity and duty. It was accordingly voted, that something to this purpose should be published, and the Reverend Thomas Bradbury Chandler, D. D. Rector of St. John's church in Elizabeth-town, New-Jersey, was appointed to this service.—This work is just published, entitled, *An Appeal to the Public in behalf of the Church of England in America.*

Application had been previously made in Britain, requesting one or more Bishops to be sent to America.

Dr. Chandler mentions in his introduction that should any objections continue, which shall be thought to deserve notice, the objectors are invited to propose them that they may be fairly and candidly debated before the tribunal of the public: And if none shall be offered, it will be taken for granted, that all parties acquiesce and are satisfied.

On the 11th instant, arrived here the Nova-Scotia packet, Capt. Cavenaugh from Halifax. Richard Reeves, Esq; register of seizures, and first clerk to the honourable board of commissioners of his Majesty's customs, &c. came passenger in the said packet.

The honourable the commissioners of the customs have appointed Samuel Fitch, Esq; their Solicitor.

And George Lyde, Esq; surveyor and searcher for the port of Boston, until the arrival of Robert Chamier, Esq; the present surveyor, &c. who is now in England.

We hear that a number of trading men at Providence have petitioned the honourable board of commissioners here, that a collector of his Majesty's customs may be appointed to reside at that place.

We hear the towns of Roxbury, Eastham and Ashburnham, have unanimously concured with this town in the regulation respecting œconomy, &c.

We hear the Senegal man of war is stationed at Newport, Rhode-Island, for three years, and is soon to sail from Halifax for her station.

CHARLES-TOWN, FEBRUARY 9.

BETWEEN Forty and Fifty Sail of Vessels, chiefly Ships, Snows and Brigs, have arrived here since last Friday Morning, the greater Part from Great-Britain.—A Number far exceeding any that have ever arrived here in the same Space of Time.

The Little-Carpenter, Captain Maitland, who sailed a few Days before the hard Gale of Wind in October last, is arrived at Falmouth, as is also the Duncannon Packet-Boat, Captain Edwards.

On Friday last arrived here from London, Major Whitemore and Ensign Goodacre, Mr. Alexander Rose, Mr. John Jamieson, Mr. William Michie, Captain Thomas Buckle, Master Oliphant, &c. &c.

Captains Stephen Toman and John Northam, of Newport, Rhode-Island, came Passengers in the Ship King George, Captain William Coward, from London.——The latter having unfortunately lost his Ship on the Coast of France, in his Voyage to Holland.

By Advices from London, we are informed, that Provisions still continuing scarce in England, Leave had been obtained for the bringing in a Bill to import Rice Duty free, and that it was thought the same Permission would be obtained for all other Sorts of Provisions.

Mr. Bowen, who received a Medal from the Society of Arts in London, for his introducing the Manufacture of Vermicelli, Sago, Salop, Soy, &c. in the Province of Georgia, is arrived here from London, in his Way to that Province, and we are told has obtained a Royal Patent for manufacturing those Commodities there, to be imported into Great-Britain; and that the Government has contracted with him to supply the Royal Navy, Hospitals, &c. with these Necessaries.

Captain Peacock, of the Schooner Wambaw, informs us, That the Night before he left Cockspur, in Georgia, viz. on the 5th Instant, a large commodious Pilot-Boat, belonging to Mr. William Lyford, Pilot, at Savannah, was stolen and carried away to Sea; supposed to have been done by a Carpenter, Boatswain and Foremast Man, belonging to a Ship at Cockspur, and a Spanish Negro belonging to Mr. Lyford; of which a more particular Account will soon be given: In the mean Time, the Public is intreated to take Notice of this general Intimation.——The said Captain Peacock took up at sea a large and handsome six Oar Barge, which the proper Owner may have again, by applying to him, or to HENRY LAURENS, Esquire.

On Tuesday last, the Annual Races began at New-Market Course, for the Plate, which was won by William Henry Drayton, Esquire's roan Colt Partner, 15 Hands high, rising 5 Years old, got by Brutus, carrying 7 Stone 2 Pounds, beating William Cattell, Esquire's roan Horse Havana, 14 Hands 2 Inches high, rising 6 Years old, got by Brutus, carrying 8 Stone 5 Pounds; and Samuel Elliott, Esquire's bay Horse Daffodil, bred by Lord Grosvenor, aged, 25 Hands high, carrying 10 Stone, distanced the first Heat by a Stirrup breaking.

And on Wednesday the Colts Plate was run for, and won by Mr. Jonah Atchison's bay Colt Trial, got by Cade, beating Edward Fenwicke, Esquire's roan Colt Forester, got by Brutus out of Babraham's Dam; James Ravenel, Esquire's bay Colt True Blue, got by Starling; Benjamin Elliott, Esquire's brown Colt Julius Cæsar, got by Pharoah; and William Williamson, Esquire's chesnut Filly, got by Cade; the two last were distanced the first Heat.

We hear, that on Monday the 15th Instant, a Match is to be run between Samuel Elliott, Esquire's Horse Daffodil, and Mr Thomas Nightingale's Horse Shadow, formerly Lord Northumberland's, both aged, and to carry 9 Stone each, for Seven Hundred Pounds.

We give the following Lines a Place in our Gazette, in order to oblige a constant Customer.

IF a Man gives his Youth to his Girl and his Glass,
For a while all his Minutes with Sweetness will pass;
'Mongst Women and Wine careful Thoughts all lie dead,
And the Calms of Reflection ne'er enter the Head.
But when by these Jilts to sad Want he is brought,
Then all his Bravado and Courage 'vail nought;
The Remorse of his Conscience deprives him of Rest,
And the Pangs of his Mind makes Despair rule his Breast;
Till work'd up to a Height, Life looses its Charter,
And the Wretch ends his Pains, by the Strength of his Garter.

W. W.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.

Feb.		*From*
2d.	Brig Jolliffe, William Bound,	Poole
	Snow Gosport, Francis Stanfield,	Falmouth
3d.	Snow Hero, Peter Robinson,	Ditto
4th.	Ship John-Galley, Robert Quick,	Ditto
	Brig Brothers, Alexander Auld,	Boston
	Snow Elizabeth, John Dunster,	Portsmouth
	Ship Jenefer, George Keer,	Liverpool
	Sloop Benjamin, Nathaniel Dickinson,	Jamaica
	Sloop Elizabeth, James Gilcrist,	Barbados
	Ship Indian King, Richard Baker,	Bristol
	Brig Loyalty, Charles Smith,	London
6th.	Brig Carolina Society, Clement Conyers,	Jamaica
	Brig Berkley, John Wells,	Bristol
	Ship Prince of Wales, John Boyd,	London
	Snow Duro, George Addis,	Ditto
	Ship Haniball, Joseph Puddicomb,	Poole
	Ship London, Alexander Curling,	London
	Snow Prince George, Richard Askew,	Galway
	Brig Goldsborough, John Troth,	Poole
	Ship King George, William Coward,	London
	Ship St. Helena, George Arthur,	Bristol
	Snow Elizabeth, Samuel Cottie,	Ditto
	Brig Elizabeth, John Martin,	Dundee

	Ship Britannia, James Keer,	Glaſgow
	Ship Charming Polly, William Taggart,	Antigua
	Sloop Jamaica Packet, Francis Dickinſon,	Jamaica
5th.	Ship Mary, James Gordon,	London
	Ship Wolfe, John Pearce,	Poole
	Ship Bell, Richard Hunter,	Glaſgow
	Ship Aurora, William Craig,	Greenock
	Ship Prince Frederick, Thomas Thomſon,	Ferrol
	Ship Induſtry, Matthew Shepherdſon,	Barbados
	Sloop Griffin, Alexander Kidd,	Honduras
	Ship Bacchus, Daniel Jackſon,	Liverpool
	Snow Haughton, Richard Godſhall,	Figura
Feb.	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
2d.	Sloop Succeſs, Samuel M'Calpin,	Antigua
3d.	Sloop Union, Noah Scovell,	St. Kitts
4th.	Ship John-Galley, Robert Quick,	Cowes
6th.	Brig Berkley, John Wells,	Ditto
	Snow Prince George, Richard Aſkew,	Ditto
8th.	Ship Prince of Wales, John Boyd,	Jamaica
	Ship Mary, James Gordon,	London
	Brig Fanny, John Peck,	Boſton
Feb.	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	*For*
3d.	Brig Philadelphia Packet, James Taylor,	Cowes
4th.	Brig Chriſtian, Robert Gamble,	Oporto
	Ship Eſcape, John Scott,	Liſbon
	Snow Anne, John Bowes,	Barbados
5th.	Ship Avon, Alexander Urquhart,	Cowes
	Ship Ajax, James White,	Barcelona
6th.	Brig Edward, William Taylor,	Anguilla
	Ship James, James Trenham,	Cowes
	Sloop Mary, Benjamin Hutchins,	Bermuda
	Sloop Eſther & Anne, John Burch,	Ditto
8th.	Brig Antigua, Joſeph Forbes,	St. Euſtatia
	Sloop John, Thomas Cunningham,	St. Croix

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE SOLD at auction, at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 16th inſtant, at twelve o'clock, by order of the aſſignees of Meſſrs. Middleton, Liſton & Hope,

ONE eighth part of the Ship Hope, John Davis, maſter, burthen about ſeven hundred barrels of rice, inventory of the ſtores of the ſaid Ship to be ſeen in the hands of SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

THE Co-partnerſhip of DUDLEY and DAWSON having expired with the laſt Year, and Mr. Dudley intending ſhortly to leave the Province, obliges them to cloſe their Affairs. They therefore requeſt that all Perſons indebted to them, either by Bond, Note, or Account, to ſettle immediately.

JUST imported, and to be SOLD,

BRISTOL COAL, at Five Pounds per Ton, EMPTY BOTTLES in Hampers, BRISTOL BEER in Caſks, by BRAILSFORD & CHAPMAN.

For BRISTOL,
The Ship SAMPSON,
MYLES CLATOR, Maſter.

A Remarkable fine veſſel, with good accommodations for paſſengers, and will be ready to ſail in three weeks. For freight of indico, deer-ſkins, or other light goods, or for paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter, or BRAILSFORD & CHAPMAN.

AT STOTT'S
MANCHESTER-WARE-HOUSE,
in Beadon's-Alley;

JUST imported in the Bacchus, Captain Harrop, from Liverpool, a freſh aſſortment of HATS, from Three Pounds Ten Shillings per dozen to Ten Pounds a piece.

Charles-Town, February 3, 1768.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Meſſrs. Thomas Liſton and William Hope, of Charles-Town, merchants, have aſſigned all their debts and effects to the ſubſcribers, in truſt, for paying out the money to ariſe therefrom, ſuch of the creditors of Middleton, Liſton and Hope, and of the ſaid Thomas Liſton and William Hope, as ſhall within twelve months from this day, conſent and agree to receive a dividend of their debts, in average and proportion, as far as the ſaid money will extend, and thereupon to execute generaleaſes of their ſaid demands as againſt the ſaid Thomas and William; the other creditors are excluded from any ſhare of the ſaid money; therefore thoſe who are willing to accept dividends upon the terms above mentioned, are deſired to ſignify ſuch conſent, and tranſmit their accounts duly atteſted, within the time above limited.

Robert Oſwald having likewiſe aſſigned to us all the books and effects belonging to himſelf, and as partner with Oſwald and Tuquet, upon the ſame terms and conditions as the foregoing, all perſons intereſted are deſired to take due notice.

BENJAMIN SMITH,
HENRY LAURENS,
JOHN NEUFVILLE,
JOHN RUTLEDGE,
JOHN CHAPMAN,
WILLIAM SAVAGE,
WILLIAM PRICE.

☞ Mr. John Logan being impowered to cloſe the ſeveral concerns above mentioned, all debts due to them will be called for, if not ſatisfactory ſettled with, or paid to him, by the firſt of June next.—No other notice will be given.

A CARGO of choice good Honduras Logwood, juſt imported in the ſloop Griffin, Captain Alexander Kidd, to be ſold entire, or by the twenty ton. Apply to the maſter on board, or at Mr. Tuke's, on the Bay.

TO BE HIRED *out by the* MONTH *or* YEAR,

A YOUNG Negro Wench, uſed to Houſe work, can iron and ſew. Apply to AARON LOOCOCK.

On Tueſday the firſt of March next, will be ſold on the plantation at preſent poſſeſſed by the ſubſcriber at Stono;

THE ſaid plantation or tract of land, containing 274 acres, or thereabouts, ſituate, lying and being in Stono pariſh, on the Swamp immediately between the plantations of Mr. Melichamp and Mr. Thomas Farr, about 23 miles from Charles-Town; on the ſaid plantation are very convenient buildings of all kinds, with a large new barn; about 130 acres of the ſaid land is under good fence, and about 50 acres of the above is very good rice land, under proper dams, the remaining part good proviſion land, and part pine land well ſtocked with ſawing timber.

Likewiſe another tract joining the above, containing 300 acres, between three and four miles from a good landing. At the ſame time and place will be ſold about one thouſand buſhels of rough rice, a ſmall ſtock of hogs, &c.

N. B. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the above, or either of them, before the day of ſale, may apply to Roger Pinckney, in Charles-Town, and have immediate poſſeſſion. Three or ſix months credit will be given to the purchaſer, giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt from the day of ſale.

ROGER PINCKNEY.

TO BE SOLD,

On Monday the 15th day of February inſtant, at the houſe of Mr. Adam Culliatt, in Jackſonſborough, Ponpon;

A TRACT of land belonging to the eſtate of Mr. Hugh Ferguſon, deceaſed, ſituated upon the Horſe-Shoe, in St. Bartholomew's pariſh, containing about 1700 acres, bounded to the eaſt on lands of Mr. Charles Jones; to the ſouth on lands of Meſſrs. Snipes and Clifford, and eſteemed a very fine rice plantation, now under good fence, and ready for planting the enſuing crop.

Alſo will be ſold at the ſame time and place, ſeveral valuable horſes and mares, belonging to the ſaid eſtate.

THOMAS FERGUSON,
Executor to the eſtate of Hugh Ferguſon.

At the ſame time will be SOLD,

THREE hundred acres of choice land, belonging to the ſubſcriber, bounded to the weſt on Ponpon river; to the eaſt on lands of Thomas Bee, Eſq; and adjoining Ponpon bridge. The conditions will be made known on the day of ſale. THOMAS FERGUSON.

TO BE SOLD,

And may be entered on immediately, on Monday the 15th day of February next, at the houſe of Mr. Adam Culliatt, in Jackſonſborough;

A VERY valuable tract of land, containing five hundred and eighty ſeven and an half acres on the Round O, butting and bounding to the northward on lands late Meſſrs. Hamilton and Ferguſon; northeaſtward on lands of Mr. Logan; to the ſouthward on lands of Mr. John Logan; and to the weſtward on land of the late Mr. Anthony Hiett, deceaſed, but at the time of the original ſurvey on vacant land all round; has a good dwelling-houſe, with all neceſſary out-buildings; the quality of the land is ſo well known, that it needs no encomium. The conditions will be declared on the day of ſale, by

EDWARD HEXT.

N. B. The plantation is under good fence, and in proper order for planting.

For POOLE, or COWES,
HOLLAND, HAMBURG, or BREMEN, SPAIN, or PORTUGAL;
The Brigantine JOLLIFFE,
WILLIAM BOUND, Maſter;

BURTHEN about 700 barrels of rice. For freight agree with ſaid Maſter, who has for ſale, Newcaſtle coals, Glouceſter cheeſe, Iriſh potatoes, oakum, a handſome four wheel poſt chaiſe, ſecond hand, and a New-Windſor chair, at Price's wharf, on very low terms.

ALL perſons indebted to Peter Green, deceaſed, are deſired for the laſt time, to pay off their reſpective debts by the firſt day of April, 1768; and thoſe that have not yet made known their demands againſt the ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring them in atteſted, in order to make their equal dividends by the firſt Tueſday in April, at my houſe.

WILLIAM M'LAUGHLING, Adminiſtrator.

A CASK, marked D. D. with a Crow-foot between, containing a Quantity of Bees-wax as I imagine, was by Miſtake put on board my Schooner, and carried to and back from GEORGE-TOWN. The Owner thereof is deſired to take it away as ſoon as poſſible GEORGE DICK.

Juſt imported in the ſhip Bacchus, Daniel Jackſon, Maſter, from Liverpool, now lying at the market wharf,

A QUANTITY of bottled beer, cheeſe, crates of earthen ware, potatoes, and a few thouſand buſhels of white fine ſalt, alſo ſundry dry goods; which will be ſold cheap for ready money, apply on board, to WILLIAM HARROP. Who wants a freight to Liverpool or Oporto for ſaid ſhip, burthen 800 barrels of rice.

TO BE SOLD at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 8th of March, 1768, at public vendue;

THE perſonal eſtate of Timothy Breed, deceaſed, conſiſting of one negro man, who is a good caulker, one houſe wench and child, ſome houſhold furniture, &c. The conditions of ſale is caſh.

WILLIAM BUSHELL, Adminiſtrator.

N. B. All perſons indebted to the ſaid eſtate are deſired to make payment by ſaid time, and thoſe that have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, to bring in their accounts properly atteſted.

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

A SINGLE man, who can write a tolerable hand, and underſtands accounts; he would be willing to attend in a ſtore, take care of a wharf, go in a ſchooner, or look after a plantation. Enquire of the Printer.

FOUND by a Negro,

A GOLD RING. The owner may have it, on paying for this advertiſement, giving a ſmall reward to the negro, and applying to the Printer.

WANTED immediately,

A SPRIGHTLY, honeſt lad, as an apprentice to a tallow chandler and ſoap boiler. For particulars, enquire of the Printer.

THOMAS FELL, TAYLOR,

HAS juſt imported, the compleat and genteel aſſortment of faſhionable ſuperfine broad cloths, and ſuitable trimmings, with gold bindings, broad and narrow lace, gold and ſilver buttons and knee garters, which he intends to diſpoſe of as reaſonable as can poſſibly be afforded. He is much obliged to all his friends and cuſtomers for their former favours, and hopes for their continuance. He likewiſe intreats the favour of all thoſe whoſe accounts have been more than twelve months ſtanding, to ſettle the ſame on or before the firſt of March next, that he may be enabled to diſcharge his own.

N. B. A black taylor or two is much wanted.

THE ſubſcriber returns his ſincere thanks to his friends and cuſtomers for their former favours, and as he is removed from the Beef-market to Elliott-ſtreet, oppoſite to Mrs. Perroneau's, he hopes for a continuance of their cuſtom there, as they and other gentlemen may depend on having their clothes made in the neateſt manner.

JOHN RANTOWLE, Taylor.

N. B. He has alſo to let a convenient back ſtore, ſeparate from the houſe, and a front cellar.

SELLING off without reſerve for caſh, at the ſubſcriber's ſtore in Broad-ſtreet, near the Watch-Houſe;

ALL his ſtock in trade, conſiſting of ſaws, broad hoes, nails, cutlery, and all ſorts of carpenters and joiners tools. As he intends leaving the province in three weeks, he deſires all perſons to whom he is indebted to apply for payment; and all perſons indebted to the late Balguy Littlewood or himſelf, are requeſted to make immediate payment, or they will be put into the hands of William Burrows, Eſq; by CHARLES LITTLEWOOD.

LEFT at Mr. Holliday's tavern, in Meeting-ſtreet, Charles-Town, on Saturday the 16th ult. by a negro, the property of Barnard Elliott, Eſq; a ſtrayed grey horſe, about 13 hands high, branded on the off ſhoulder obſcurely IW in one. The owner is deſired to fetch the ſaid horſe away, and pay for his keeping, or he will be ſold to pay the expence thereof. The property muſt be proved before FENWICKE BULL, J. P.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber on John's-Iſland, the 18th of January laſt, a negro wench named PEG, of a yellow complexion, remarkable for having very thick lips, and having her right knee inclining inwards, has a very large ſcar on her breaſt; it is very likely ſhe has made for Georgia, having a father and mother at Mr. JONATHAN COCHRAN'S; therefore all perſons are hereby forwarned from carrying her off, or harbouring her, as they may depend on being proſecuted. Whoever will deliver the ſaid wench to me, ſhall have THREE POUNDS reward, and all reaſonable charges paid, by SARAH PALMARIN.

On Thurſday the 3d day of March 1768, if a fair day, if not, the next fair day after, will be SOLD at public vendue at Jackſonſborough, Ponpon;

ABOUT SIXTY valuable SLAVES, moſtly this country born, among whom are ſawyers, coopers and boatmen, with handy boys and girls; being part of the eſtate of Adam Daniell, Eſq; deceaſed. Credit will be given to the firſt day of January, 1769, on paying intereſt, with approved ſecurity, the property not to be altered until the terms are complied with.

Thoſe indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are for the laſt time, deſired to make immediate payment, which may prevent diſagreeable conſequences.

WILLIAM LOGAN,
JOHN PARKER, } Executors.

JAMES DRUMMOND,

HAS juſt imported in the Queen Charlotte, John Chamberling, commander, from London, a large and compleat aſſortment of goods, amongſt which are the following;

BLACK and grey ſuperfine broad cloths, with ſuitable trimmings, black Barcelona handkerchiefs and neck-cloths, garlix, hollands, plain and flowered Scots gauze, white and brown ſheeting, book and other muſlins, chints for ladies gowns, brown hollands, linen and cotton checks, red and blue furniture ditto, an aſſortment of dyed jeans, ſtriped moſeenes, ribbons, Scots and long ounce threads, flouriſhing and India cotton, ſilk, twiſt, ferret laces, London and Whitechapel needles, men, and womens white Italian gloves, catgut, Cyprus and figured gauze, yard and ell wide black, figured and plain ſattins, Leghorn and chip hats, childrens drums, figured and plain modes, worſted, thread, cotton and ſilk hoſe, grey tammies, calimancoes, princes ſtuff, fans of all prices, corks, an aſſortment of watch maker's tools, black bombazines, bird cages, rice and flour ſieves, blue glazed paper, a large aſſortment of paper-hangings, Wilſon's beſt fowling pieces, calimanco ſhoes, men and boys leather ditto and pumps, Cheſhire and Glouceſter cheeſe, ſaffron and pigtail tobacco, rappee and Scots ſnuff, ſtone and flour brimſtone, fig blue, Spaniſh and French olives, capers, anchovies, walnuts, beſt muſtard, hair powder, hard and ſoft pomatum, ſhaving boxes and bruſhes, Indian corn mills, mens beaver hats, ſcales of different ſizes, mahogany chairs, marble ſlabs with mohogany frames, china tea tables, mohogany bureaus and book-caſes, fiſhing rods and reels, almonds, raiſins and currants, black pepper, London cordage, whips, girt web, bits and ſtirrup irons, an aſſortment of buckles, ſleeve buttons, coat and breaſt ditto, penknives, cork ſcrews, curtain rings, Crowley's beſt Carolina hoes, bed ſcrews, fiſh ſkins, ſteel and bar iron, grindſtones, glue, iron and braſs wire, tin plates, which with an aſſortment he had on hand before, will be ſold on reaſonable terms, at his ſtore in Tradd-ſtreet.

TO BE SOLD on the ſpot, on Monday the 15th day of February 1768, at eleven o'clock, for twelve months credit, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity;

ALL that large lot of land, belonging to the ſubſcriber, fronting to the ſouthward on a ſtreet leading from Meeting-ſtreet to St. Philip's church, called by the name of Cumberland-ſtreet; and weſtward on the ſaid Meeting-ſtreet, being nearly oppoſite to the dwelling-houſe of Mr. Alexander Peronneau; the ſaid lot to be divided and ſeparated into ſeveral ſmall lots as follows, viz. five lots fronting ſouth on ſaid Cumberland-ſtreet, each containing 32 feet in breadth, and 109 in depth; one corner lot, where a work-ſhop now ſtands, containing 30 feet on Meeting-ſtreet, and 100 feet and 8 inches on ſaid Cumberland-ſtreet; and one other lot, 30 feet front on Meeting-ſtreet, and 108 feet and eight inches in depth. A plan of the whole may be refered to, lying in the hands of Mrs. Sarah Perkins, near the premiſes.

JOHN PERKINS.

SOUTH-CAROLINA:

WHEREAS the Kalendar or Lift of Conſtables in the office of the clerk of the crown and peace is very incorrect, which has been occaſioned, partly, by many perſons thinking, that after having ſerved a twelvemonth in the office of a conſtable, they are at liberty to quit it, without giving themſelves any trouble about getting proper perſons to ſerve in their room; and partly, by magiſtrates in the country taking upon themſelves to appoint conſtables, without any legal authority for ſo doing: IT IS ORDERED that the magiſtrates in the ſeveral parishes throughout this province, do, when they meet upon Eaſter-monday to grant certificates to the retailers of ſpirituous liquors, prepare liſts of ſuch perſons as ſhall then be acting conſtables within their ſeveral diſtricts, and tranſmit the ſame, with all convenient ſpeed, to the ſaid office of the clerk of the crown and peace; and *alſo*, that they do recommend proper perſons to ſerve, wherever there may be a deficiency.

By the Court,
D. CAMPBELL, C. C. & P.
Court of General Seſſions, January 29, 1768.

Now ſelling off at EIGHT *for* ONE *cash, or* NINE *for* ONE, *and credit to December* 1768, *by*

JAMES & WILLIAM LENNOX,

AN aſſortment of ſuch goods as are uſually imported into this province, among which are brocades, ſatins, Engliſh damaſks, tobine, luteſtring, mantuas, Bruſſels and Mechlin laces, edging, footing, &c.

TO BE SOLD at the old SUGAR HOUSE, *at the upper end of Broad-ſtreet*;

EXCEEDING good ſingle refined loaf ſugar, at *Four Shillings and Six-pence* caſh per pound, by the hundred or fifty weight, and *Five Shillings* by the ſingle loaf, by

JOHN OHLEN.

WANTED immediately,

A DISCREET white woman, who has a good breaſt of milk, and no child of her own, to take care of and ſuckle a young child, in a creditable family. Such an one will meet with good encouragement, by bringing ſatisfactory recommendation, and applying to the Printer hereof.

AS there is an abſolute neceſſity to ſettle every thing relating to the partnerſhip of *John* and *Ulrick Tobler*, or to the eſtate of *John Tobler*, Eſq; deceaſed, this is to give notice, that what remains unpaid after the firſt of March, muſt expect to be ſued for immediately without any diſtinction, and if any have ſtill demands againſt the ſaid partnerſhip, or eſtate, they are informed, that the executors intend to cloſe their accounts, and divide the eſtate among the heirs by that day, after which no debt can be paid by them, and that none may plead ignorance, this is inſerted in all the Gazettes.

J. J. STURZENEGGER, } Executors.
J. J. ZUBLY, }

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE tract of land, on the eaſtern branch of Saltcatchers, where two ſettlements may be made, as it runs acroſs the ſwamp; the ſaid tract contains ſeven hundred acres, about four hundred of which are cypreſs ſwamp; butting to the ſouth on lands belonging to Thomas Ferguſon, Eſq; on the north on lands belonging to James Parſons, Eſq. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſaid tract, may ſee the titles, and agree in Charles-Town, with etf ALEXANDER HEXT.

On Wedneſday the 24th of February inſtant, will be ſold by public vendue, at the houſe of Thomas Nightingale, on Charles-Town Neck;

ABOUT two hundred very valuable SLAVES.—And on Friday the 6th March following, at the town of Beaufort, on Port-Royal iſland, a parcel of genteel houſhold furniture, a chariot, a new riding chair, a tent, a billiard table, and a flat, &c. And the following day at the two plantations called Laurel Bay, and Parlez Vous, on the ſaid iſland, all the ſtock on the ſaid plantations, conſiſting of horſes, cattle, ſheep, hogs, &c. and likewiſe the plantation tools, being part of the perſonal eſtate of Thomas Middleton, Eſq; deceaſed. The conditions will be made known on the days of ſale.

WILLIAM MIDDLETON, acting Executor.

N. B. If any of the above days ſhould prove rainy, the ſales will be on the firſt fair days following.

WHEREAS a conſiderable time ago, we advertiſed thoſe indebted to the eſtates of John Cooper, and Henry Pagett, deceaſed, to make payment to us, and that we had an aſſignment of the books of Norman and Chapman, of Stono, and that our diſcharge only for their accounts would be valid. Finding thoſe advertiſements have not produced the deſired effects, and that it is now become impoſſible to delay bringing the affairs to an iſſue, we do for the laſt time inform thoſe indebted as above, that do not pay us before the firſt day of March next, that they will be ſued without diſtinction. ATKINS & WESTON.

N. B. The ſubſcribers have received a ſupply of excellent butter, in kegs of all ſizes.

TO BE SOLD at publick vendue, the 10th of February Inſtant, at Mr. Thomas Nightingale's, up the Path;

A PLANTATION adjoining to Captain North's, on Iſland-creek, containing eight hundred acres, more or leſs, formerly ſettled by Nicholas Burnham, and reckoned to be as good land as any thereabout, and with little trouble may have a reſervoir of water that will ſtand in the dryeſt ſeaſons. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame before the day of ſale, may treat with Robert Cochran, in whoſe hands the plat may be ſeen.

Alſo at the ſame time and place will be SOLD,

A PARCEL of valuable negroes, conſiſting of a carpenter and boatman, houſe wenches, handy boys, and girls that work well with their needle. The conditions to be made known at the time of ſale.

ALL Kinds of Blanks uſed in this Province, may be had of the Printer.

GREENLAND & JORDAN,

RETURN thanks to their friends for all paſt favours, and acquaint them and the public, that they continue to carry on the FACTORAGE BUSINESS in all its branches, on Price's wharf, where they have convenient ſtores for the reception of goods, and room for landing any quantity of lumber.

TO BE SOLD by the ſubſcriber, on the 23*d of March next, at the uſual place in Charles-Town*;

THE *plantation belonging to Dr. Lewis Mettet, at Goose-creek, containing* 617 *acres, with a commodious dwelling-houſe, a very fit place for a brick yard; the land in general is very good for corn, rice or indico. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe before the day of ſale, may apply to Dr. Wilſon, or Mr. John Calvert, in Charles-Town, or with Dr. Lewis Mettet on the place, or me the ſubſcriber.*

WILLIAM WITHERS.

Congaree, January 30, 1768.

THE Subſcribers deſires all perſons indebted to them, either by bond, note, or book debt, to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt day of March next, otherwiſe they will be under the diſagreeable neceſſity of lodging the ſame in the hands of an attorney at law.

N. B. They ſtill continue keeping a good aſſortment of goods, ſuitable to the back inhabitants; and will give encouragement to thoſe people who make good payments.

AUDEON ST. JOHN, & Co.

WANTED on Purchaſe,

A HANDY young negro fellow, who is a good barber, and can be well recommended for his honeſty. For particulars, enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD, and may be entered on immediately,

A PLANTATION in St. John's pariſh, on the ſouth ſide of Santee river, containing ſeven hundred and fifty acres of land, of which the greateſt part is good oak and hickory land, and about one hundred acres of good inland ſwamp, well ſtocked with cypreſs, with a good run of water, in the dryeſt ſeaſon; adjoining the lands of Meſſrs. Job Marion and John Cook. Alſo one tract of good high river ſwamp, containing three hundred and thirty acres of land, on the north ſide of Santee river, and oppoſite to the ſaid plantation (with a very convenient landing to both tracts) of which about forty acres are cleared: On the ſaid plantation is a good overſeer's houſe, corn-houſe, and other out-buildings; four ſets of cypreſs indico vats (and if the purchaſer chooſes it) about forty buſhels of indico ſeed, and about two hundred buſhels of corn.

Alſo one other tract or plantation in St. John's pariſh, containing five hundred acres of land, part whereof is good corn and indico land, with a run of water through the tract, adjoining lands of the late Francis Murrel, deceaſed. The plantation is under good fence, where a crop may be planted the enſuing ſeaſon. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may treat with the ſubſcriber in St. John's pariſh, Berkley county.

HENRY RAVENEL.

STRAYED or ſtolen from Charles-Town, about the firſt of January, a black horſe, branded on the left ſhoulder and buttock R, and on the right ſhoulder I C, with a diamond between; paces, and has a meally noſe. Whoever delivers the ſaid horſe to me in Charles-Town, ſhall receive Three Dollars reward. SIMON TUFTS.

JAMES LINGARD,

ACQUAINTS the public in general, that he is removed to a ſhop on Mr. PRICE's wharf, at the eaſt-end of Queen-ſtreet, and carries on the ſmiths and farriers buſineſs, in all its branches, and returns his greatful thanks for the encouragement he has had for eighteen years paſt in *Charles-Town*; and hopes for a continuance of their favours, which will be gratefully acknowledged, by their humble ſervant,

JAMES LINGARD.

WANTED, more to prevent the redundancy of time, than for any great emolument, the care of one or two ſets of books, of principal houſes, merchants in this place.—Alſo boarding and lodging for a ſingle gentleman, in a ſmall private genteel family, who would be more eſteemed for a companion than any material advantage, tho' a valuable conſideration would be given. Enquire of Mr. John Blott, upholſterer, near the Old Church.

ALL perſons that have any demands againſt the eſtate of Frederick O'Neal, of the Congarees, are deſired to make them known to the ſubſcriber; at the ſame time he deſires all perſons that ſtand any way indebted to the ſaid eſtate, either by bond, note, or book account, to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt day of March next.

AUDEON ST. JOHN, Executor.

FOR LONDON, BRISTOL, LIVERPOOLE, or COWES and the MARKETS,

THE SHIP PAME,
Peter Creighton, Maſter.

WILL carry about 900 barrels of rice, and is an extraordinary good veſſel. Thoſe gentlemen that may be inclined to freight her, will known the terms, by applying to

JOSIAH SMITH, junior.

N. B. Imported in the ſaid ſhip from *Philadelphia*, a parcel of Lewis's ſuperfine flour, Hains's double beer, ſhip bread and bar-iron, which will be ſold reaſonable for caſh at a ſtore on Eveleigh's wharf. Enquire as above.

LANDED from on board the ſhip Planter's Advanture, Capt. Miles Lowley, from London, in November laſt, a parcel of BOOKS and PICTURES, directed, *For Captain Forbes, or Mr. Hooper.* Whoever has any juſt claim thereto, may have them, on paying the freight, and for this advertiſement, to

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

A Parcel of good Parchment Skins, to be ſold by Charles Crouch.

To be ſold at the Vendue-Houſe in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the ſixteenth of February;

THE ſaid plantation, containing four hundred acres, and two lots of land in the town of Beaufort (on which there is ſeveral improvements) belonging to the ſaid William Hope, and diſtinguiſhed in the plan of the ſaid town by numbers CCCVI and CCCXXX. And alſo about forty Negroes, the property of Mr. Thomas Liſton, and the ſaid William Hope.

And at the reſpective houſes where the ſaid Thomas Liſton and William Hope now dwell, on Wedneſday the ſeventeenth of ſaid month;

ALL their houſhold furniture, conſiſting of beds, chairs, tables, pictures, &c. The conditions will be made known on the days of ſale.

WANTED immediately, on hire by the year,

AN honeſt negro wench, who can cook, waſh, iron, &c. and has no young child. Enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE rice plantation, and may be entered upon immediately, ſituate in Prince William's pariſh, three miles from Combahee ferry. Alſo a tract containing four thouſand and odd acres of land, ſituated on Savannah river, whereon is a large body of river and back ſwamp. Enquire of

BENJAMIN GARDEN.

TO BE LET,

A HOUSE and lot, containing near three acres of land in Anſonſbourg, lately poſſeſſed by Mr. Nathaniel Bulline, it may be entered upon immediately. For further particulars, enquire of

FRANCIS GOTTIER.

For LONDON, PORTUGAL, or COWES and the MARKETS;

THE SHIP

CONSTANT-FRIEND,

THOMAS ALCOCK, Maſter;

A HANDY new and faſt ſailing veſſel, burthen about 680 barrels of rice. For freight or paſſage (having good accommodations) apply to ſaid Maſter on board at Burn's new wharf, or to

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

Who have imported in the ſaid veſſel from London, an aſſortment of goods uſually imported. Alſo POTATOES, and ENGLISH OATS for ſeed.

BROUGHT TO THE WORK-HOUSE.

October 7, 1766. A well ſet new Negro fellow, who ſpeaks no Engliſh, has on an old white Negro Cloth jacket with pewter buttons, has a ſmall beard.——Taken up at Cooſhawatchee.

——The above Negro fellow, ſince his being advertiſed, ſays his name is FRANK.

July 22, 1767. A new Negro fellow, calls himſelf *Reſſaf*, and ſays his maſter's name is *Dabs*; he is about five feet ſix inches high, full faced, and has the mark of a ſhot on his left thigh, which he ſaid was done by his maſter; has on an old white Negro cloth jacket and yellow breeches; and was taken up at Mr. Ball's plantation, Silk-Hope.

September 30. A Negro wench of the Angola country, who calls herſelf JENNY, but can't tell her maſter's name; ſhe is a ſhort wench, of a yellow complexion, with very ſmall breaſts; ſhe has on an old white Negro cloth wrapper and petticoat. Taken up at Mr. Waring's plantation at Beach-Hill.

November 2. A Negro fellow of the Yallunka country, calls himſelf *Dick*, and his Maſter's BILLY HAZZARD, he is 5 feet 7 inches high, full faced, his ears bored, teeth filed, a pretty long beard, and his country marks on his right arm; has on a white Negro cloth rapper and trowſers. Taken up at William M'Lauchlin's plantation at Ponpon.

December 6. A negro fellow of the Angola country, calls himſelf JEFFRY, ſays his old maſter's name was *John Williams*, and died in Georgia, but the reſt of the negroes being ſeized, he run away to go to his young maſter in North-Carolina, whoſe name is *William Williams*; he is four feet eleven inches high, full faced, about 40 years of age, and has on an old camblet jacket and black everlaſting breeches. Taken up at Cuckhold's creek, Combahee.

January 16, 1768. A negro fellow, who calls himſelf TITUS, was born in Jamaica, ſays his maſter's name is JOSEPH DOBBINS, and lives at the Round O, and that his maſter caſtrated him and another, but the other dying, he run away; he has on his neck an iron collar with his maſter's name on it, alſo an iron on each leg. Taken up at Sheldon, and ſent down by Stephen Bull, Eſq.

Jan. 26. A negro fellow of the Congo country, calls himſelf BACCHUS, and his maſter's name Maſſey, who lives at Ponpon, he is five feet ſix inches high, upwards of 40 years of age, long beard, and of a yelloviſh complexion, has on old white negro cloth cloaths. Taken up at Aſhepoo.

TO BE SOLD at publick vendue, on Friday the twenty-ſixth day of February 1768;

A LOT of land in Tradd-ſtreet, adjoining Mr. Wareham's, containing 40 feet in front, and 100 feet in depth, on which are two good dwelling-houſes. Any perſon chuſing to purchaſe at private ſale, may in the mean time apply in Beadon's-alley, to

ELISABETH COLLIS.

HENRY FOLKER,

INTENDS, God willing, to depart the province in the Spring, gives this public notice, that the bonds, notes and accounts due him, if not diſcharged by the firſt day of March, he will be under the diſagreeable neceſſity of putting them into the hands of an attorney at law, to be ſued for. Thoſe who have any juſt demands againſt him are deſired to call for their money.

GOOD Writing Paper to be ſold by the Printer hereof.

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